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OF THE MISTLETOE *VISCUM ALBUM*

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**CLAIM OF FOREIGN PRIORITY AND
TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT**

The Applicants hereby claim the right of foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 for the above-identified patent application. The claim of foreign priority is based upon Application No. EP 97 10 0012.0, filed in the European Patent Office on January 2, 1997, and the benefit of that date is claimed.

Submitted herewith is a certified copy of European Patent Application No. EP 97 10 0012.0. It is submitted that this document completes the requirements of 35 U.S.C. Section 119, and benefit of the foreign priority is respectfully requested. Also submitted herewith is a certified translation of the priority application.

Respectfully submitted,

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